GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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FUNDS UNDER CENTRAL GOVERNMENT SCHEMES TO STATES
Singh Shri Dushyant

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the various heads and schemes under which Union Government provides funds to the State Government;

(b) the amount sanctioned by the Union Government under these heads and schemes to the State Government of Rajasthan and other States, during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the amount utilised by the State Governments out of the Central allocation during the said period, year-wise; and

(d) the steps taken by the Union Government to check under utilisation of funds by the State Government?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI. K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) Presumably, the Hon'ble Member is referring to the Centrally aided schemes in the road sector operated by the Ministry. The Ministry provides funds to the State Governments under the schemes of the Central Road Fund (CRF) including the scheme of economic importance and inter-state connectivity (EI&ISC) for development of State roads.

(b) & (c) The amounts allocated and released to the State Governments/Union Territories including the State of Rajasthan under the said schemes during the last three years are as under :-

(Rs. in crores)

Year	Amount allocated under CRF including EI&ISC	Amount released under CRF including EI&ISC
2004-2005	964.00	624.28
2005-2006	1705.95	1385.36
2006-2007	1706.07	1531.36

(d) State Governments are regularly requested to increase the pace of the progress of the works approved under these schemes and the utilization of funds is regularly monitored.